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**LETTER RE COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS FOR  
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STAGE IN U.S. ELECTED OFFICE (EO/US) UNDER 35 USC 371**

Sir:

In response to Document PCT/DO/EO/905 regarding "Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 In The United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US)" and mailed January 9, 2006, attached hereto are the following documents to complete the United States national phase of the above-identified application:

1. the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by the inventor;

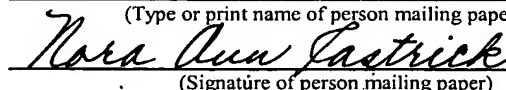
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1. an Application Data Sheet; and
2. the required copy of the above-mentioned "Notification" to be returned with response.

The Notification indicates that \$130.00 surcharge is required for the late oath or declaration; when, in fact, a fee of \$130.00 was paid on April 1, 2005, when the national phase was initiated. The amount of \$130.00 was inadvertently entered on the line indicating a charge for an English translation. The above PCT application was filed in the English language. Therefore, it is believed that the fee of \$130.00 was intended for the late Declaration. Applicant does not believe any further fees are required for the above application.

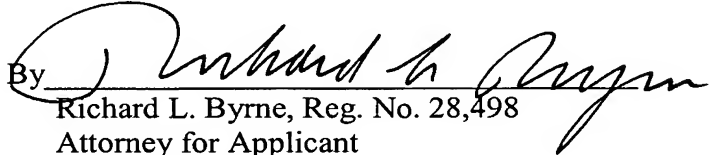
The Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. The original and one copy of this Letter are attached.

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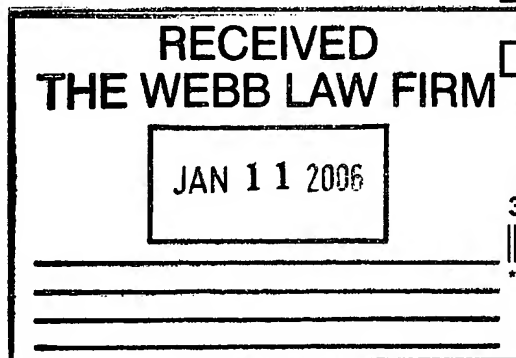


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### NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 04/01/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 04/01/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 04/01/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 04/01/2005
- Copy of references cited in ISR filed on 04/01/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 04/01/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 04/01/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

#### SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$130** for a Large Entity:

- **\$130** Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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